BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of Golden State Water Company (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service by \$14,926,200 or 15.77% in 2007; by \$4,746,000 or 4.31% in 2008; and by \$6,909,300 or 6.02% in 2009 in its Region II Service Area.

A.06-02-023

NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE

TO ALL PARTIES:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California has set a prehearing conference in the above-entitled matter before Administrative Law Judge A. Kirk McKenzie, for May 2, 2006, at 11:00 a.m., in the Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California.

A prehearing conference is called to determine the parties, positions of the parties, issues, and other procedural matters.

Parties desiring expedited or daily transcripts should advise the Chief Hearing Reporter by telephone at (415) 703-2288, no later than three days prior to the first day of hearing.

If you have questions about the hearing date, time, or place, call the Calendar Clerk at (415) 703-1203.

BY ORDER OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

Dated April 14, 2006, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ANGELA K. MINKIN BY ANN HOANG

ANGELA K. MINKIN Chief Administrative Law Judge